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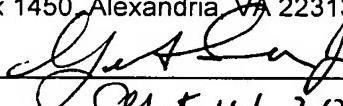
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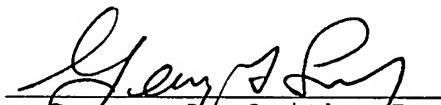
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Sir:

The applicant requests two months' extension of the time to respond to the Official action of April 18, 2007, so that the deadline for response is extended from July 18, 2007 to September 18, 2007. This request is being filed with a request for continued examination and an amendment. A check covering the extension fee and the fee for continued examination is enclosed. Please charge any deficiency in the fees to our deposit account 08-3040.

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Enclosures

- (a) RCE
- (b) amendment
- (b) Check covering RCE fee and extension fee